

Appl. No. 10/049,356  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/049,356  
Applicants : Reo Yamamoto et al.  
Filed : February 6, 2002  
Title : Process for Producing Sintered Aluminum Nitride Furnished  
With Via Hole  
Group Art Unit : 1762  
Examiner : Brian K. Talbot

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for Extension of Time and requisite fee are submitted concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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